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In Re Application Of:

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Group Art Unit: 1772

Examiner: N. Ahmad

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

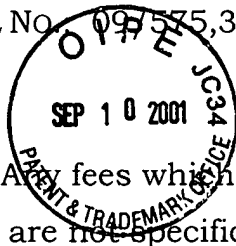
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2001 and having a shortened thirty-day response period, the invention of Group I (i.e., Claims 1-87, drawn to a label applicator construction) is elected without traverse for continued prosecution in the present application.

In view of the foregoing, an action on the merits at an early date is in order and is respectfully requested.


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